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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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TITLE: A METHOD OF LYOPHYLIZATION TO REDUCE SOLVENT CONTENT AND ENHANCE PRODUCT RECOVERY

Enclosed are:

1. ☒ 30 pages of specification, claims, abstract
2. ☐ sheets of FORMAL drawing.
3. ☐ pages of newly executed Declaration & Power of Attorney (original).
4. ☐ Priority Claimed to _____ Appln. No. _____, whose entire disclosure is incorporated herein by reference.
5. ☒ Small Entity Status Claimed.
6. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.
7. ☐ Assignment Papers for _____ (cover sheet, assignment & assignment fee).
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10. ☒ Authorization under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).
12. ☐ Other:
11. ☐ Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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CLAIMS AS FILED

For	No. Filed		No. Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	232	- 20	212	X \$9.00	\$1,908.00
Indep. Claims	2	- 3	0	X \$40.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (If applicable)				X \$135.00	\$ 135.00
				BASIC FEE	\$ 355.00
				TOTAL FILING FEE	\$2,398.00

This is a Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: _____ filed _____. Incorporation By Reference-The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

--This application is a continuation-in-part of Application Serial No. _____ filed _____.--

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